

Register on September 29, 1999 (64 FR 52539).

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(c) reconsideration may be granted under the following circumstances:

(1) If it appears on the basis of facts not previously considered that the determination complained of was erroneous;

(2) If it appears that the determination complained of was based on a mistake in the determination of facts not previously considered; or

(3) If in the opinion of the Certifying Officer, a misinterpretation of facts or of the law justified reconsideration of the decision.

The petitioner acknowledges that the workers of Rust Tractor do not produce an article but asserts that the company is the only "Caterpillar Licensed" dealer in New Mexico and El Paso, and as such, considers the workers to be a subsidiary of Caterpillar, Inc. The petitioner states that the Rust Tractor layoffs were attributable to the loss of revenue resulting from competition from Komatsu haul trucks made in Japan.

The TAA petition, filed on behalf of workers of Rust Tractor Company, Silver City, New Mexico, engaged in employment related to selling and servicing of heavy equipment was denied because the workers provided a service and did not produce an article as required in Section 222(3) of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended. The Department does stand corrected that the workers of Rust Tractor Company, Silver City, New Mexico provided their services to the copper industry, not the petroleum industry as reported in the Department's August 4, 1999 determination. The findings of the investigation revealed that there was no corporate affiliation with Caterpillar or any other firm.

Only in very limited instances are service workers certified for TAA, namely the worker separation must be caused by a reduced demand for their services from a parent or controlling firm or subdivision whose workers produce an article and who are currently under a certification for TAA. There is no existing TAA certification for workers of Rust Tractor Company.

Conclusion

After review of the application and investigative findings, I conclude that there has been no error or misinterpretation of the law or of the facts which would justify reconsideration of the Department of Labor's prior decision. Accordingly, the application is denied.

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-35,284S and TAS-W-35,284 T]

Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc.; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on January 21, 1999, applicable to workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on February 25, 1999 (64 FR 9354).

At the request of the State agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. The workers are engaged in the exploration and production of crude oil and natural gas. The company reports that Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc. "became also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc." in July, 1999.

Accordingly, the Department is amended the certification determination to correctly identify the new title name to read "Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc." headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc. who were adversely affected by increased imports.

The amended notice applicable to TA-W-35,284S and TA-W-35,284T is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Shell Deepwater Development Systems, Inc., also known as Shell International Exploration and Production, Inc., headquartered in New Orleans, Louisiana (TA-W-35,284S) and operating off the shore of Louisiana in the Gulf of Mexico (TA-W-35,284T) who became totally or partially separated from

employment on or after November 16, 1997 through January 21, 2001 are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Director, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-35,468]

Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, TN; Dismissal of Application for Reconsideration

Pursuant to 29 CFR 90.18(C) an application for administrative reconsideration was filed with the Director of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance for workers at the Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, Tennessee. The application contained no new substantial information which would bear importantly on the Department's determination. Therefore, dismissal of the application was issued.

TA-W-35,468; *Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Sparta, Tennessee* (September 30, 1999)

Signed at Washington, DC this 4th day of October, 1999.

Grant D. Beale,

Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-36-297, 297A and 297B]

Woolrich, Incorporated; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 USC 2273) the Department of Labor issued a Certification of Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance on June 21, 1999, applicable to workers of Woolrich, Incorporated, Soperton Facility, Soperton, Georgia. The notice was published in the **Federal Register** on July 20, 1999 (FR 64 38921).